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SUBJECT: Allowance and Post Differential

Reclassifications TL:SR-708

Ref: Section 920 Standardized Regulations
(GC,FA)

11. Effective May 24, 2009, unless otherwise noted, allowances and/or post differential rates are revised as shown. These changes are issued under TL:SR-708.

12. Please inform local offices of all U.S. government agencies at the posts listed in this cable.

13. Important: Read this entire message as posts may be listed more than once. Changes are listed by allowance or differential rather than by post.

14. Taiwan has been included, when applicable, under arrangement with the American Institute in Taiwan.

15. The changes in the Danger Pay Allowance for Bosnia-Herzegovina are based on an updated Danger

Pay Factors Form submitted by Embassy Sarajevo on behalf of the Branch Office in Banja Luka.

¶6. The Post (Hardship) Differential changes for Bosnia are based on elimination of the Danger Pay. The changes for Mexico reflect expiration of the temporary one-class increase authorized by the Under Secretary for Management on April 26, 2009. The increase was due to the impact on USG personnel of the Government of Mexico's decision to temporarily close schools, restaurants, movie theaters, gyms, etc. due to H1N1.

¶7. The changes in the Living Quarters Allowance rates for Brazil, China, and Mexico are based on living quarters expenditure information provided by embassies Brasilia, Beijing and Mexico City, respectively.

¶8. The Post Allowance changes for Milan, Turin and Florence, Italy are based on a survey submitted by Milan. All other Post Allowance changes are based on currency exchange rate information reported to the Office of Allowances as of the first Thursday of Pay Period 10 (May 14, 2009).

¶9. All Education "At-Post" Allowance rate changes are based on new information supplied by posts for the current school year.

¶10. Effective May 24, 2009, footnote "u" is amended to reflect expiration of the temporary increase in the Post (Hardship) Differentials for Mexico (see paragraph 6). The Post (Hardship) Differential for

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DEA and FBI employees is adjusted to remove credit for Political Violence from the Post (Hardship) Differential for any DEA/FBI employee receiving Danger Pay. The differential for those employees in Mexico is: Ciudad Juarez 10%, Cuernavaca 0%, Guadalajara 0%, Hermosillo 10%, Matamoros 5%, Mazatlan 5%, Merida 10%, Metapa 15%, Mexico City 10%, Monterrey 0%, Nogales 0%, Nuevo Laredo 10%, Other 0%, Tapachula 15%, Tijuana 5%, Tuxtla Gutierrez 10%, and Veracruz 0%.

¶11. This information is available on the State Department internet and intranet sites. The internet site address is: (<http://aoprals.state.gov>) . The intranet (internal State Department network) site address is: <http://aoprals.a.state.gov/>.

	DANGER PAY	
	FROM	TO
BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA		
BANJA LUKA	15	0
OTHER	15	0
	POST DIFFERENTIAL	
	FROM	TO
BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA		
BANJA LUKA	15	20
OTHER	15	20
MEXICO		
CIUDAD JUAREZ	20	15
CUERNAVACA	5	0
GUADALAJARA	5	0
HERMOSILLO	15	10
MATAMOROS	10	5
MAZATLAN	10	5
MERIDA	15	10

METAPA	20	15
MEXICO CITY, D.F.	20	15
MONTERREY	10	5
NOGALES	10	5
NUEVO LAREDO	20	15
OTHER	5	0
TAPACHULA	20	15
TIJUANA	15	10
TUXTLA GUTIERREZ	15	10
VERACRUZ	5	0

LIVING QUARTERS ALLOWANCE

		FROM			TO		
		2	3	4	2	3	4
BRAZIL							
BRASILIA	WF	32700	32700	31900	46000	45800	41400
	WOF	32700	31900	29600	46000	41400	36500

CHINA

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BEIJING	WF	16000	14500	13100	71200	65600	58200
	WOF	15300	13100	11600	65600	58200	51700

MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, D.F.	WF	35500	32500	29200	44000	41300	38000
	WOF	33800	29200	26000	43000	38000	34200

POST ALLOWANCE

		FROM	TO
ALBANIA			
OTHER		5	10
TIRANA		5	10

AUSTRALIA

ALICE SPRINGS	10	15
BRISBANE	10	15
CANBERRA	10	15
GERALDTON	5	10
GOLD COAST	10	15
MELBOURNE	15	20
NEWCASTLE, NSW	5	10
Oakey	10	15
OTHER	5	10
PERTH	10	15
RICHMOND, NSW	10	15
SYDNEY	15	20
TOOWOOMBA	10	15
TOWNSVILLE	10	15
WALKERVILLE, S.A.	5	10

BELGIUM

GOSSELIES	30	35
MONS	30	35
OTHER	30	35
SHAPE/CHIEVRES	30	35

BENIN

COTONOU	15	20
OTHER	15	20

BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA

BANJA LUKA	0	5
OTHER	0	5
SARAJEVO	0	5

BULGARIA

OTHER	15	20
SOFIA	15	20

CANADA

AMHERSTBURG	20	25
ARGENTIA	20	25

CALGARY	20	25
DARTMOUTH	25	30
EDMONTON	20	25
HALIFAX	25	30
KINGSVILLE	20	25
LONDON, ONTARIO	5	10

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MONTREAL	25	30
NORTH BAY CANADIAN FORCES BASE	20	25
NORTHWEST TERRITORIES	20	25
OTHER	20	25
OTTAWA	20	25
PRINCE RUPERT	20	25
QUEBEC	20	25
STRAIT OF GEORGIA TEST RANGE, B.C.	20	25
TORONTO	25	30
VANCOUVER	35	42
VICTORIA	25	30
WINNIPEG	20	25

CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC		
BANGUI	35	42
OTHER	35	42

CHILE		
OTHER	0	5
SANTIAGO	0	5

COTE D'IVOIRE		
ABIDJAN	20	25
OTHER	20	25

CROATIA		
OTHER	25	30
ZAGREB	25	30

CYPRUS		
NICOSIA	30	35
OTHER	30	35

ESTONIA		
OTHER	10	15
TALLINN	10	15

FINLAND		
HELSINKI	50	60
OTHER	42	50

FRANCE		
BELLEAU	50	60
BONY	50	60
DRAGUIGNAN	50	60
EPINAL	50	60
FERE EN TARDENOIS	50	60
FONTAINEBLEAU	50	60
GARCHES	60	70
LE HAVRE	50	60
LYON	60	70
MARSEILLE	60	70
MONTPELLIER	60	70
OTHER	50	60
PARIS	60	70
ROMAGNE-SOUS-MONTFAUCON	50	60
SEVRES	60	70
ST. AVOLD	50	60
ST. JAMES	50	60

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ST. LAURENT	50	60
ST. MIHIEL	50	60
STRASBOURG	50	60
SURESNES	60	70

VERSAILLES	60	70
GERMANY		
AUGSBURG	30	35
BABENHAUSEN	30	35
BAD AIBLING	30	35
BAD KREUZNACH	30	35
BAD NAUHEIM	30	35
BAUMHOLDER	30	35
BERCHTESGADEN	30	35
BIRKENFELD	30	35
BOEBLINGEN	30	35
BREMEN	30	35
BREMERHAVEN	30	35
BUTZBACH	30	35
DARMSTADT	30	35
DELMENHORST	30	35
ERLANGEN	30	35
FLENSBURG	30	35
FRANKFURT AM MAIN	30	35
FRIEDBERG	30	35
FUERTH	30	35
GARLSTEDT	30	35
GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN	35	42
GEILENKIRCHEN	30	35
GELNHAUSEN	30	35
GERMERSHEIM	30	35
GIEBELSTADT	30	35
GIESSEN	30	35
GRAFENWOEHR	30	35
GREFRATH	30	35
GREVEN	30	35
HANAU	30	35
HANDORF	30	35
HANNOVER	30	35
HEIDELBERG	30	35
HEILBRONN	30	35
IDAR-OBERSTEIN	30	35
INGOLSTADT	42	50
KAISERSLAUTERN, LANDKREIS	30	35
KARLSRUHE	30	35
KERPEN	30	35
KITZINGEN	30	35
KOBLENZ	30	35
LEIMEN	30	35
LEIPZIG	30	35
LUDWIGSBURG	30	35
MAINZ	30	35
MANNHEIM	30	35
MAYEN	30	35
MUENSTER	30	35
MUNICH	42	50
NELLINGEN	30	35
NEUBRUECKE	30	35
NOERVENICH	30	35
NUERNBERG	30	35

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OBER RAMSTADT	30	35
OBERAMMERGAU	35	42
OSTERHOLZ-SCHARMBECK	30	35
OTHER	30	35
PIRMASENS	30	35
RHEINAU	30	35
RHEINBERG	30	35
SCHWABACH	30	35
SCHWETZINGEN	30	35
SECKENHEIM	30	35
SEMBACH	30	35
STUTTGART	30	35
VILSECK	30	35
WERTHEIM	30	35
WIESBADEN	30	35
WORMS	30	35
WUERZBURG	30	35
ZIRNDORF	30	35

ZWEIBRUCKEN	30	35
GREECE		
ARGYROUPOLIS	35	42
ATHENS	35	42
ELEFSIS	35	42
ELLINIKON	35	42
IRAKLION (CRETE)	30	35
MT. HORTIATIS	35	42
MT. PARNIS	35	42
MT. PATERAS	35	42
NEA MAKRI	35	42
OTHER	30	35
PERIVOLAKI	35	42
PIRAEUS	35	42
SOUDA BAY (CRETE)	30	35
TANAGRA	35	42
THESSALONIKI	35	42
HOLY SEE		
HOLY SEE	50	60
HUNGARY		
BUDAPEST	10	15
OTHER	10	15
ITALY		
FLORENCE	60	70
MILAN	60	70
NETTUNO	50	60
ROME	50	60
TURIN	60	70
JAPAN		
GOTEMBA	60	50
KOSOVO		
OTHER	5	10
PRISTINA	5	10
LATVIA		
OTHER	20	25
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RIGA	20	25
MACEDONIA		
OTHER	10	15
SKOPJE	10	15
MALI		
BAMAKO	20	25
OTHER	20	25
MALTA		
MALTA	25	30
MONTENEGRO		
OTHER	20	25
PODGORICA	20	25
MOROCCO		
CASABLANCA	15	20
OTHER	10	15
RABAT	15	20
SALE	15	20
TANGIER	10	15
NETHERLANDS		
AMSTERDAM	35	42
BRUNSSUM	35	42
COEVORDEN	35	42
EYGELSHOVEN	35	42
HEERLEN	35	42
HOENSBROEK	35	42
HULSBERG	35	42

KERKRADE	35	42
LANDGRAAF	35	42
MAASTRICHT	35	42
MARGRATEN	35	42
OTHER	35	42
PAPENDRECHT	35	42
ROTTERDAM	35	42
SCHAESBURG	35	42
SCHINNEN	35	42
SCHIPHOL	35	42
THE HAGUE	35	42
YPENBURG	35	42
NEW ZEALAND		
AUCKLAND	10	15
BLenheim	10	15
CHRISTCHURCH	10	15
OTHER	10	15
WELLINGTON	10	15
NIGER		
NIAMEY	5	10
OTHER	5	10
PAPUA NEW GUINEA		
OTHER	20	30
PORT MORESBY	20	30
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PORTUGAL		
ALVERCA	15	20
AZORES	15	20
LAJES FIELD	15	20
LISBON	15	20
OTHER	15	20
PONTA DELGADA	15	20
REPUBLIC OF EQUATORIA		
MALABO	30	35
OTHER	30	35
RUSSIA		
MOSCOW	15	20
OTHER	0	5
SAINT PETERSBURG	10	15
SAKHALIN ISLAND	10	15
VLADIVOSTOK	10	15
YEKATERINBURG	5	10
SAMOA ISLANDS		
SAMOA	15	20
SENEGAL		
DAKAR	15	20
OTHER	15	20
SLOVAK REPUBLIC		
BRATISLAVA	30	35
OTHER	30	35
SLOVENIA		
LJUBLJANA	15	20
OTHER	15	20
SWEDEN		
OTHER	30	35
STOCKHOLM	35	42
SWITZERLAND		
GENEVA	80	90
OTHER	80	90
TAIWAN		
KAOHSIUNG	25	30
OTHER	25	30

TAIPEI	25	30
THAILAND		
BANGKOK	5	10
CHIANG MAI	0	5
OTHER	5	10
UDORN	0	5
TOGO		
LOME	20	25
OTHER	20	25
TUNISIA		
CARTHAGE	0	5
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OTHER	0	5
TUNIS	0	5

EDUCATION ALLOWANCE						
FROM				TO		
	GRADE	AT POST	AWAY FROM POST		GRADE	AT POST
MOROCCO						
RABAT	K	11500	11500	K	12850	12850
	1-5	13900	13900	1-5	15500	15500
	6-8	15850	15850	6-8	17650	17650
	9-12	16150	16150	9-12	18050	18050
SALE	K	11500	11500	K	12850	12850
	1-5	13900	13900	1-5	15500	15500
	6-8	15850	15850	6-8	17650	17650
	9-12	16150	16150	9-12	18050	18050
CLINTON						